

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Gunther Hans Derra
Serial No.: 10/596,441
Confirmation No.: 6738
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For: Method and Device for Generating in Particular EUV Radiation And/Or Soft X-Ray Radiation
Examiner: Kiknadze, Irakli
Art Unit: 2882

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 24, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in a listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.